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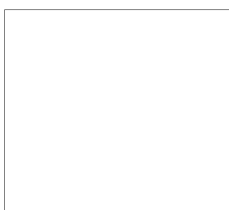
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**EAST INFANTRY DIVISION, SECOND  
ARMY GROUP, NORTH KOREA**



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## ABSTRACT

1. This report locates and delineates the major army units subordinate to the East Infantry Division, Second Army Group, North Korea. It is based on analysis of photographic coverage from October 1972 to December 1973 and contains a location map, a table, and a photograph.

## INTRODUCTION

2. The North Korean Second Army Group is responsible for the security of the westernmost sector of the Demilitarized Zone (DMZ) and commands five infantry divisions and a medium-tank regiment. The major units of an infantry division are three infantry regiments, an artillery regiment, a mortar regiment, a tank company, and a headquarters area.

3. This report is the first in a series on the Second Army Group and is designed to realign the boundaries of the existing Basic Encyclopedia (BE) point targets into BE target areas. The realignment of the BE boundaries has been coordinated with DIA and CIA analysts, and appropriate BE action has been taken by DIA. In the future, the entire East Infantry Division will be reported under the BE number now assigned to the headquarters area [REDACTED]. The area nomenclature and boundaries have been arbitrarily assigned for reporting purposes.

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4. Subsequent reports will follow, as time and manpower permit, on all divisions within the Second Army Group. Supplemental reports will follow when significant changes are observed within the reported areas.

## BASIC DESCRIPTION

5. The East Infantry Division (Figures 1 and 2), a subordinate of the Second Army Group, occupies the east sector of the Second Army Group area of responsibility. An artillery regiment subordinate to the army group is within this division area and is reported with this division. The East Infantry Division is bounded on the east by the Imjin River, on the south and west by the Chigo River, and on the north at 38-18N 126-41E and 38-18N 126-51E. The adjacent defense sectors are: on the east, the Fifth Army Group; on the south and west, the Central and West Infantry Divisions; and on the north, the North Infantry Division. Table 1 lists the units within the East Infantry Division with their geographic coordinates and associated BE numbers. The areas listed below are keyed to Figures 1 and 2 and Table 1.

## Wa-dong Army Barracks and Headquarters Infantry Division

6. This division headquarters area (area A) consists of one headquarters building, two administration buildings, six barracks, 29 barracks/quarters, one H-shaped building, two T-shaped buildings, one C-shaped building, and 16 support buildings.

## Wonyon-dong Army Barracks and Headquarters Infantry Regiment

7. This infantry regimental area (area B) consists of five administration buildings, 46 barracks, seven messhalls, numerous quarters and support buildings, and extensive trenching throughout the area.

## Chuul-tong Headquarters Artillery Regiment and Barracks Area

8. This artillery regimental area (area C) consists of one headquarters building, nine administration buildings (one C-shaped), 33 barracks, six messhalls, 18 vehicle sheds, numerous quarters and support buildings, and three howitzer battalions consisting of nine 4-gun tunnel-served howitzer batteries.

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Table 1. Units of East Infantry Division (Keyed to Figures 1 and 2)

Area	Unit	Installation and BE	Geographic Coordinates
A	Inf div hq	Wa-dong Army Bks and Hq Inf Div [REDACTED]	38-11-23N 126-50-47E
B	Inf regt	Wonyon-dong Army Bks and Hq Inf Regt [REDACTED]	38-12-36N 126-51-52E
C	Arty regt	Chuul-tong Hq Arty Regt and Bks Area [REDACTED]	38-09-14N 126-51-48E
D	Mortar regt	Sangma-dong Military Area [REDACTED]	38-07-20N 126-52-45E
E	Arty regt (subordinate to the army group)	Kuhwa-ri Military Bks and Stor [REDACTED]	38-05-42N 126-48-40E
F	Inf regt	Togol Army Bks and Hq Inf Regt [REDACTED]	38-07-51N 126-49-46E
G	Inf regt	Kwang-gol Hq Inf Regt and Army Bks [REDACTED]	38-10-00N 126-41-57E
H	Tank comp:ny	Wa-dong Army Bks and Hq Unid Tk Bn [REDACTED]	38-12-10N 126-48-40E

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**Sangma-dong Military Area**

9. This mortar regimental area (area D) consists of two administration buildings, 22 barracks, numerous quarters and support buildings, extensive trenching throughout the area, and numerous mortar positions.

**Kuhwa-ri Military Barracks and Storage**

10. This artillery regiment (area E) is subordinate to the army group and consists of one T-shaped headquarters building, three administration buildings, 36 barracks, five messhalls, numerous quarters and support buildings, three howitzer battalions consisting of nine 4-gun tunnel-served howitzer batteries, extensive trenching, and numerous mortar positions throughout the area.

**Togol Army Barracks and Headquarters Infantry Regiment**

11. This infantry regimental area (area F) consists of seven administration buildings, 39 barracks, six messhalls, numerous quarters and support buildings, and trenching scattered throughout the area.

**Kwang-gol Headquarters Infantry Regiment and Army Barracks**

12. This infantry regimental area (area G) consists of one headquarters building, 11 administration buildings, 59 barracks, seven messhalls, numerous quarters and support buildings, and scattered trenching throughout the area.

**Wa-dong Army Barracks and Headquarters Unidentified Tank Battalion**

13. This tank company area (area H) consists of one administration building, nine barracks, one messhall, seven support buildings, and four tunnel-served firing revetments with a blastshield-protected reverse-slope tunnel entrance.

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